



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Confirmation No. 6577  
Sumio IJIMA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2004\_1408A  
Serial No. 10/506,798 : Group Art Unit 1775  
Filed September 7, 2004 : Examiner Daniel H. Miller  
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**AFTER FINAL AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated May 9, 2006, the period for response having been extended for one month by the attached petition, Applicants herein provide the following amendments and remarks.

**RESPONSE UNDER 37.CFR1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP** 1775

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
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